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Re: Applicant(s): Andrew J. Thurston
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: BCH Forward Error Correction Decoder
Serial No.: 09/822,950
Examiner: Dipakkumar B. Gandhi
Docket No.: CIS0069US
Filed: March 30, 2001
Group Art Unit: 2133

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response To Final Office Action (22 pages).

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated February 25, 2005 (referred to herein as the "Final Office Action"), having a shortened statutory period expiring on May 25, 2005. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Specification, Claims, or Drawings are presented in this paper. A listing of pending claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.